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Application No.: 09/855,754	)	Examiner: Navarro, A. M.
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For: POLYPEPTIDES CONTAINING	)	Allowed: December 28, 2004
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REPEATED REGIONS OF	)	
PERTACTIN IN <i>BORDETELLA</i>	)	
<i>PERTUSSIS, BORDETELLA</i>	)	
<i>PARAPERTUSSIS, AND</i>	)	
<i>BORDETELLA</i>	)	
<i>BRONCHISEPTICA</i> , THEIR USE	)	
IN DIAGNOSTICS, AND IN	)	
IMMUNOGENIC	)	
COMPOSITIONS	)	

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**REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE**

Applicants respectfully request that the Notice of Allowance in the  
above identified application be corrected as follows:

This application was filed on May 16, 2001. This is correctly indicated on the  
Filing Receipt mailed June 29, 2001, a copy of which is attached hereto. The Notice of  
Allowance incorrectly indicates that this application was filed on September 10, 2001.

Accordingly, correction of the Notice of Allowance to read **05/16/2001** is respectfully requested.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this request and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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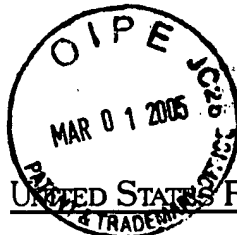
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**Foreign Applications**

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**Title**

Polypeptides containing polymorphisms of the repeated regions of pertactin bordetella pertussis, bordetella parapertussis, and bordetella bronchiseptica, their use in diagnostics, and in immunogenic compositions

**Preliminary Class**